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Sir:

This is in response to the Final Office Action mailed September 11, 2006 (Part of Paper No./Mail Date 20060822), the shortened statutory period for which runs until December 11, 2006. Please revise the subject application as indicated below.

Amendments to the Claims begin on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 7 of this paper.